



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant: Fernando Beitia Gomez de Segura, et al.

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For: PROCESS FOR THE "IN SITU" MANUFACTURING OF EXPLOSIVE
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Kansas City, Missouri

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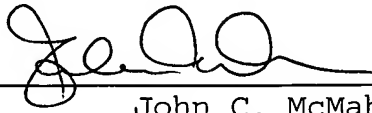
Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and
Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action
dated March 23, 2004 for two months, from June 23, 2004, to
August 23, 2004.

A check in the amount of \$420.00 is included to cover the
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Respectfully submitted,

Fernando Beitia Gomez de Segura,
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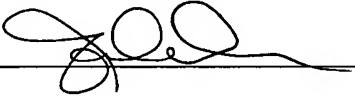
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